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TO AMEMBASSY DAMASCUS NIACT IMMEDIATE

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SECTO 500

FOR AMBASSADOR FROM THE SECRETARY

1. AS I LEAVE THE AREA TO RETURN TO WASHINGTON, I  
WANT TO TELL YOU HOW MUCH I HAVE RELIED ON YOUR  
SUPPORT DURING THE PERIOD OF INTENSIVE DIPLOMACY  
THAT WE HAVE GONE THROUGH IN THE SHORT TIME YOU HAVE  
BEEN IN DAMASCUS. IN MANY WAYS, YOUR TASK WILL BECOME  
EVEN MORE DIFFICULT IN THE PERIOD AHEAD, BUT I KNOW  
THAT I CAN CONTINUE TO RELY ON YOUR CLEAR INSIGHTS  
AND CALM JUDGEMENT.

2. PLEASE GIVE MY DEEP APPRECIATION TO ALL  
THE MEMBERS OF YOUR STAFF FOR THE SUPPORT THEY HAVE  
PROVIDED TO ME AND MY COLLEAGUES DURING THIS CRITICAL  
AND DIFFICULT PERIOD.  
KISSINGER

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